



<p>East by West: a Journey in the Recess, Vol. 2</p> <p>Henry W. Lucy</p>	<p>East by West: a Journey in the Recess, Vol. 2 By Henry W. Lucy (1845-1924)</p> <p><i>East by West: a Journey in the Recess</i> is an account of British journalist Henry Lucy's travels across America and on to the Far East in 1883, within two or three decades of the American Civil War, the Indian Mutiny and the end of Japan's isolation from the western world. Lucy was one of the most influential journalists of his day and, as "Toby M.P.", a noted humorist in <i>Punch</i> magazine. His acute powers of observation and light touch make this a most engaging book.</p> <p>This is the second of two volumes and covers his experiences in Japan, India and other parts of south-east Asia, returning home via Aden and the Suez Canal. The first volume included his travels in America and in Japan, including the Atlantic and Pacific crossings by steamer.</p> <p>Note: In Chapter 6, Lucy understandably, to a readership wholly unfamiliar with Japan, includes lengthy statistics about Japan's systems and economy. While the reader of the book can glance at such tables and move swiftly on, this is not possible in an audiobook. Accordingly, I have made two versions of Chapter 6. The first version is completely unabridged. In the alternative file, 6a, I have excised the longest statistical tables. (Summary by Ruth Golding)</p> <p>Read by Ruth Golding; total running time: 09:30:30. Dedicated Proof-Listener: Brenda Price. Meta-Coordinator/Cataloging: Ruth Golding.</p> <p>This recording is in the public domain and may be reproduced, distributed, or modified permission. For more information or to volunteer, visit librivox.org. Cover caricature of the author by <i>Kate Carew (1904)</i>. Copyright expired in US, Canada, EU, and all countries with author's life +70 yrs laws. Cover design by Janette Brown. This design is in the public domain.</p>	<p>East by West: a Journey in the Recess, Vol. 2</p> <p>Henry W. Lucy</p>
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